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SUBJECT: SECRETARY'S MESSAGE OF APPRECIATION

1. PLEASE DELIVER AS SOON AS POSSIBLE THE FOLLOWING TEXT
OF SECRETARY'S MESSAGE OF APPRECIATION TO PRESIDENT ELIAS
SARKIS:

BEGIN TEXT - DEAR MR. PRESIDENT:

IT WAS A GREAT PLEASURE FOR ME TO HAVE HAD AN OPPORTUNITY
FOR A FRANK AND FRIENDLY EXCHANGE OF VIEWS WITH YOU DURING
MY RECENT VISIT TO LEBANON. I PARTICULARLY APPRECIATED
HEARING YOUR THOUGHTS ON THE CHALLENGES AND OPPORTUNITIES
FOR PEACE AND STABILITY IN LEBANON AND THE MIDDLE EAST AS
A WHOLE.

THE WARMTH AND HOSPITALITY WHICH YOU AND THE MEMBERS OF
YOUR GOVERNMENT SHOWED TO ME AND MY PARTY MADE OUR BRIEF
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STAY IN YOUR COUNTRY A MEMORABLE EXPERIENCE. YOU HAVE MY
UNDERSTANDING AND RESPECT AS YOU PURSUE YOUR HISTORIC TASK
OF LEADING A UNITED LEBANESE PEOPLE TOWARD A BETTER TO-
MORROW. SINCERELY, CYRUS VANCE - END TEXT.

2. SIGNED ORIGINAL COMING BY POUCH.
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